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In re application of : **Confirmation No. 6872**
Akio YAMANE : Attorney Docket No. 2002_0401A
Serial No. 10/088,598 : Group Art Unit 1634
Filed March 21, 2002 : Examiner Katherine Salmon
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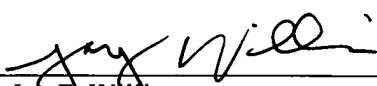
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Petition hereby is made for a two month extension of time to respond to the communication of December 21, 2005.

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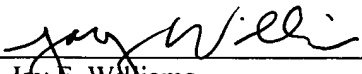
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